

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Attorney Docket No. 2006\_1022A

Yoshinori AMANO et al. : **Confirmation No. 9011**

Serial No. 10/584,300 : Group Art Unit 1797

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BIOLOGICAL SAMPLE DISCRIMINATION : **Mail Stop: AMENDMENT**  
APPARATUS, BIOLOGICAL SAMPLE  
DISCRIMINATION METHOD, AND  
BIOLOGICAL SAMPLE DISCRIMINATION  
PLATE (AS AMENDED)

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action of June 8, 2010. Please amend the present application as follows.